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WISCONSIN POLITICS.

That able and eloquent champion of correct principles—Carl Schurz—having roused his countrymen in Minnesota to a noble and successful effort, by the strength of his logic and the force of his facts, has returned to Wisconsin, where he is now doing yeoman's service in behalf of the *whole* Republican ticket, We say "whole Republican ticket," because the Democrats have tickled themselves with the belief that he, while supporting the other party nominees, would lead off the Germans in a crusade against Gov. Randall, with whom they have a real or fancied cause of quarrel. We had too much confidence in the shrewdness and patriotism of that leader to fear that he would be seduced into the perpetration of a folly so suicidal; and we are now glad to say that our confidence in the man has not been misplaced. This superiority of the Republican Germans to their personal prejudices—a superiority that many "to the manner born" might envy—secures the success of the whole of our ticket in Wisconsin. We fix the majority at ten thousand!

He Never Said So.

The Chicago *Herald*, though a bitterly black Democratic sheet, has not acquired the reputation of asserting untruths, or of committing editorial forgeries. Hence we were surprised and unprepared to find in its yesterday's issue the following language, attributed to Gov. Seward:

"There is a higher law than the Constitution, "which regulates our authority over the do- "main. SLAVERY MUST BE ABOLISHED, "AND WE MUST DO IT."

Upon what authority does the *Herald* assert that Seward ever made use of that remark? The *Herald* owes it to its self-respect to confess its error or make good the charge. It is hardly necessary for us to sta e that Senator Seward is not the author of the language attributed to him by the *Herald*; he never said so. in the course of his great speech on the admission of California, in the New-holders and Knighthaws were trying to keep her out of the Union, Senator Seward said:

"The Constitution devotes the public domain to union, to justice, to defence, to welfare and to liberty. *But there is a higher law than the Constitution, which regulates our authority over the domain, and decides it to the same noble purposes.*"

Some reckless partisan print of the Chicago *Times* stripe has perverted this language into the above garbled version in the *Herald*. We dislike to spoil the text from which the *Herald* preached its pathetic discourse, but the truth of history requires it, though it will bring the *Herald's* sermon to nought.

Receipts of Wheat and Flour at the West.

The receipts of Wheat and Flour at the principal receiving points in the West during the past week compare with the week previous as follows:

	PAST WEEK.		PREVIOUS WEEK.	
	Flour.	Wheat.	Flour.	Wheat.
	bbls.	bu.	bbls.	bu.
Chicago	20,000	178,000	17,000	492,000
Milwaukee	10,663	119,475	11,442	134,850
St. Louis	8,918	125,970	8,660	111,140
Cincinnati	6,000	30,000	10,000	40,000
Toledo	34,568	18,949	27,200	94,000
Detroit	2,000	10,000	2,000	15,000
	30,673	50,850	34,558	65,000
Total	127,752	1,114,746	134,776	1,117,990

☞ Speaking of the Harper's Ferry affair, the Louisville *Journal* remarks: "Old John Brown, it is admitted we believe on all sides, was never trusted by the Republicans even in Kansas. 'He was always considered by them as a dangerous man,' says the New York *Herald*, one of the bitterest anti-Republican journals in the country, 'was never taken into their councils, and never consulted by them with reference either to their policy or movements.' This testimony would seem to be conclusive. It effectually clears the skirts of the Republicans of everything like direct fellowship or even sympathy with the murderous old zealot."

The State of Europe.

[Correspondence of the N. Y. Tribune.]
LONDON, Oct. 13, 1859.

We hear from day to day that the Conferences at Zurich are about to come to a conclusion, and that the treaty or treaties of peace will be exchanged in a few days; but week after week passes and Count Colloredo always finds some new point to start, and Count Buol cannot be trusted with his secrets; he sends off couriers after couriers; and the Ministers at Vienna refer their instructions back to Paris, and new explanations and new instructions become necessary. What can be the object of this eternal procrastination? Nothing less than to give time for the political intrigues of the Vienna Cabinet to stir up a counter revolution in the Duchies, and thus to escape the necessity of a Congress, since it is now well known that as far England and Russia are favorable to the annexation of Central Italy to Sardinia, and that Napoleon has no objection to it if he only receives back the charge of having despoiled the Pope of his temporal power in the Romagna. The hope of the Vienna Cabinet for the speedy success of a reactionary rising are very high—brought by the emissaries of the expelled Dukes are busy in exciting the country population; and the Roman Cabinet, delighted at the new acquisitions of Cardinal Antonelli, sid and abet these machinations. The Provisional Government dare not stop these intrigues by force, and are therefore blamed for want of energy. Under these circumstances the population of Parma, which, together with the inhabitants of Modena, are more ready and more accustomed to administer justice by the dagger, have taken the law into their own hands, and, having found out that Col. Anviti, one of the most obnoxious men of the Duchy, a partisan of Austria, had arrived in disguise at Parma, they killed him on the spot. Of course, the ultramontane and reactionary papers are in high glee at such a proof of anarchy, murder and terrorism; but Dr. Farini is not the man to be disheartened. He has ordered a searching investigation into the crime and all the circumstances connected with it, and he will certainly punish the ringleaders of the mob. Probably he will be able at the same time to give some information to the public about the underhand machinations of Austria, carried on through the agency of the murdered Colonel.

The German agitation is going on in a sleepy way. Millions of pints of beer must first be drank, and millions of pipes be smoked, before the points of federal reform can be settled; while it does not seem to strike any German that the only possible way of settling a unity is to expel either all the thirty-six Princes, or at least thirty-five of them. If they are not up to that point, then let them give up all theoretical speculations about unity, and rather concentrate their forces in establishing liberty, or at least a decent government, in some of the thirty-six portions of the fatherland. The doctrinaires Government at Berlin has already been weighed and found wanting. Southern Germany is disorganized and cowed by the ultramontane and absolutist Governments. The Duke of Coburg is the only man among his compeers who shows pluck, and who can even be suspected of being as heart an honest German patriot.

The Case of Bishop Onderdonk—Pious Lawsuits.

Bishop Onderdonk, having had leave to withdraw the petitions addressed to his peers, lately in session at Richmond, and thus receiving a polite intimation that they will not consent to his being reinstated on any terms, has, it is said, decided upon a novel mode of redressing his grievances and clearing his ecclesiastical character. Acting under advice of a distinguished member of Congress, and a prominent lawyer, he has resolved to bring a legal action to recover damages which he has sustained through the deprivation of his office, and its immunities, privileges and perquisites. In fact, the House of Bishops, having resolved to leave their erring brother to his sins, he intends to appeal to the secular power to set him right pecuniarily. Bishop Onderdonk's case is something like that of a woman who, having had her reputation blasted, misplaced confidence in a marriage promise, brings an action at law against her betrayer. She cannot recover her lost honor, but she can obtain a salve for it in the shape of a round sum of money. So, Bishop Onderdonk, being shut out of the Kingdom of Heaven—that is, so far as the House of Bishops can do it—wishes to obtain the next best thing, at least in the wicked world's view, in suing for swinging damages. The cause will be one of the most novel and entertaining actions that has ever been tried anywhere, and will furnish more food for the scandal-mongers.—*New York Herald.*

Later from Mexico.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 26.—The Tennessee, arrived from Vera Cruz the 22d, brought $37,000 in specie.

The sloop-of-war Savannah was at Sacrifices. It is reported that the acting British Minister, Mathews, authorized the British Consul at Vera Cruz to recognize the Juarez Government.

Robles has returned to Jalapa. Miramon's expedition to San Luis is still preparing. De Golado is at San Luis; Ampudia at Vera Cruz; Marquesrat Guadalajara.

THE CITY.

☞ President D. S. Burnet, from Cincinnati, speaks again this evening at 7½ o'clock, in the meeting house of the First Christian (Disciple) Church, on Monroe street, between Aberdeen and Rucker streets, West Side. Seats free to all, and all are invited to attend.

A MAD DOG.—On Wednesday a mad dog ran into the [engine room, in the basement of the Court House, butted his head against the boiler, bit the piston rod, attacked the fly wheel, chased and terribly frightened the engineer, and finally ran into the cellar, where he was dispached.

RUNAWAY.—A span of horses, attached to a wagon, hauling gravel on North Clark street, ran away yesterday afternoon, throwing the driver into the gutter and demolishing the wagon. The driver was badly, though it is thought not fatally, injured.

ACCIDENT.—A man, whose name we could not learn, walked off the approach to the Clark st. bridge on Tuesday evening, while the bridge was swung. He was rescued, but a carpet bag which he had, was lost with $60 contained therein.

☞ Continuation of the sale at auction of the furniture, etc., of the Burnet House, under a chattel mortgage, this morning, at 9½ o'clock, where will be sold the best chamber and bedroom furniture, crockery and glass ware. Every article will be sold separate or to suit purchasers. Gilbert & Sampson are the auctioneers.

☞ The Railroad Convention at Cleveland, last week, was the largest ever held, forty-five roads being represented. The winter time table is to take effect Nov. 14th, and slow speed is re-established, the time between New York and Chicago being 29 hours, which will bring the evening train here about 10 P. M., instead of 7 P. M., as at present.

RESIGNATION AND APPOINTMENT.—Dr. E. H. Williams, formerly Superintendent of the Michigan Southern Railroad, and more recently Assistant Superintendent of the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroad, has resigned his place on the last named road, in order to accept the same situation on the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad.

ACCEPTED.—Rev. W. H. Ryder, D. D., of Roxbury, Mass., who, as we have stated, was called to the pastorate of St. Paul's (Universalist) Church in this city, has accepted that call, and will enter upon his duties on the first of January next. Dr. Ryder is well known at the East as one of the most eloquent ministers of his denomination, and we doubt not he will preach with acceptance to his new charge.

THE OLD GRAVEYARD.—Several more coffins have been exhumed by the workmen at Doyle's building, on Water street. Ten skeletons have thus far been found. It is a matter of astonishment to our citizens that this graveyard, which was used as such only twenty-five years ago, should have been entirely lost sight of. It shows the wondrous change which has taken place dur ng the last quarter of a century, not only in the city itself, but of its inhabitants.

ANOTHER GIFT CONCERT.—Capt. Scott, of the Light Guard Band, will give a second Gift Concert at Metropolitan Hall, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 9th. A number of valuable gifts, a catalogue of which can be found in the advertising columns, will be bestowed upon persons holding lucky numbers. The success of the first Concert has rendered its repetition necessary in order to meet the wishes of the public.

MORE CONTREPEITERS.—Capt. R. A. Pollock, of Galesburgh, arrested on Monday last, a young man by the name of James Sheridan Fuller, for having in his possession counterfeit gold coins, with intent to pass the same, and passing counterfeit silver coins. He was brought before John A. Bross, U. S. Commissioner, on Wednesday, and upon examination, was committed in default of $2,000 bail. He has friends living in this city. Upon his arrest the gold coin and $30 in counterfeit money was found sewed up in his cap.

AN OLD "DETECTIVE" IN TROUBLE.—John Hughes, once a stool pigeon for Capt. Yates in his detective establishment, is there upon petition to lay off his old habits which he learned while in the "profession," and must produce a two-dollar bill from the woman named Matilda Doohey, who keeps a saloon on North Water street. Matilda, not being familiar with John's antecedents, entrusted the bill to him to get it changed. Johny changed the bill—from her] pocket to his, and left, forgetting to return until urged to do so by a police officer. He was brought before Justice Akin, and held to answer in $200.

A BOY RUN OVER AND SERIOUSLY INJURED.—Yesterday morning, a little son of Edward Kincaid, about eight years of age, residing at 194 Van Buren street, near Wells, was run over by a hack, which was going at a rapid rate. The driver saw the boy and shouted to him, but did not check the speed of his horses. The little fellow was unable to get out of the way, and, was knocked down by the horses, the wheels of the hack passing over his breast. The boy was taken to his home and a physician called, who pronounced the injuries very serious, as inflammation may at any moment set in. The driver has not yet been arrested. We trust he soon will be and receive a severe punishment.

CURIOUS OMEN, IF TRUE.—The Buffalo papers say that a young lady who came down from Chicago on the propeller Dacotah, states that just before the tremendous storm which occurred on the Lakes last week, a large number of birds lit on various parts of the propeller. The Captain on arriving there said it was time to seek a harbor; and so he did. They had hardly put into Presque Isle, when the storm came. In that storm, the propeller Troy and twenty-three of her passengers and crew were victims. The *Nevs*, referring to a statement in the Houston *Telegraph* that there were eight deaths in that city on the 18th, and five on the 14th, says:

We learn from Capt. Sterrett that there were ten burials in Houston yesterday, before he left, and he had heard of a still more that would take place during the evening. It is estimated that the number now sick is about 150. The sickness is more fatal than it has hitherto been. Among those who have died we hear of numbers who are well known to our citizens, and whose death will be deeply regretted.

The *Telegraph* continues to receive distressing accounts from Cypress. Rumor says there have been fifteen deaths, and every person who was liable to the fever is now down.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The Lighthouse Board has awarded the contract for building the lighthouse at Cape Ann, to Edwin Adams, of Boston, at nearly $38,000. The metallic work to Adams & Roberts at $6,500, and the lanterns at the same parties at $3,500. There were thirty-two bids for the lighthouse contract.

Senator Gwin has arrived at Washington.

Canada Bank Troubles.

TORONTO, Oct. 27.—The International Bank is closed and a notice on the door that the institution has suspended for a few days. The draft of the bank on New York has been refused for redemption of bills.

The Colonial Bank had suspended for half an hour by reason of a run upon it.

Two Vessels Sunk, and Loss of all on Board.

BOSTON, Oct. 27.—The schooner Pacific, of Southport, Me., lying at anchor at Magree Island, in the Bay of St. Lawrence, got adrift in a gale and run foul of an unknown schooner. The vessels were cut down and all on board perished. Thirteen dead bodies have floated ashore.

RAILROAD PASSES.—The subject of railroad passes occupied considerable time of the railroad Convention held at Cleveland last week. As a result, resolutions were adopted fixing upon the 1st of January next as a suitable period for the total abolition of the system of free passes. In the meantime the following resolutions were pledged to be adhered to:

Passes may be issued to drovers accompanying their stock, not to exceed in number one for two cars, two for over two and under six cars, three for five and under ten cars, and four for ten cars and over, and return.

To persons other than the above provided, shall be issued, except under the recorded orders of the Board of Directors of each road, for purposes purely local to such road, but no such pass shall be issued, the effect of which will be to influence cattle or freights as against any competing road or route.

No road shall passany person or persons over its line upon the pass theirs of any other roads, or the letter or request of any other roads; nor shall any such letters be given.

☞ At a meeting of the Ward Committee of the Republican party held at the Tremont House last evening, the following officers were elected: Reuben Cleveland, Chairman; James R. Huguuin, Secretary. The object of the meeting was stated by Theodore Hartman, Esq.

A communication from the County Republican Committee upon the subject of the Registration of Voters at the primary meetings was received and acted upon.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the different Ward Committees be instructed to keep a register with the names and place of residence of the voters, and that said list be preserved for future reference.

Resolved, That none but those known to be members of the Republican party be allowed to vote at any Republican primary meetings.

Resolved, That the primary meetings called for the 29th October inst. shall be opened by the proper Committees, at 5 o'clock P. M., as announced, and shall be closed at 8 o'clock, and said Ward Committees shall act as judges of said primary election.

Resolved, That a copy of the proceedings of this meeting shall be furnished to all the Republican papers for publication.

REUBEN CLEVELAND, Chairman.
JAS. R. HUGUNIN, Sec'y.

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The annual course of lectures will commence Wednesday evening, Nov. 9, and continue twenty weeks.

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Professor of Chemistry—JAMES V. Z. BLOSSY, M. D.
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☞ Indiscriminate puffing of business houses is to most readers anything but pleasant or profitable reading. But there are instances in which we feel that we do not impose upon the good nature of our readers, when wares are favorably noticed, and among these is Tappens' clothing establishment, No. 109 Randolph street.

In calling attention to Mr. Tappen's card, in another column, we but express the opinion of ninety-nine in every hundred who have paid his house a visit, in stating that those who seek a reliable place to get a good garment, either made to order or ready made, will find no better in Chicago, nor one in which lower prices are charged for good goods. Tappen gives his personal attention to the selection of styles, purchase of goods and their manufacture into garments adapted to the wants of his customers, embracing every point of business and workmanship men, for whom he caters especially. Our friends who pay cash, and want their money's worth, can always get it at Tappen's.

THE ADULTERY CASE.—The detailed statement of this case by a morning cotemporary, we are assured by a friend, gives the public a wrong impression in regard to the real facts of the case. There was but one positive act of adultery testified to by any witness on the part of the prosecution, and that was by a German woman, who stated that she saw, through an extremely small key hole, Mr. Burton and Mrs. Campbell in bed together. This being testified to by one witness of course would not be disproved, except by the parties themselves, and by law they were not allowed to testify. The jury at first, under the impression that the one act, sworn to by one witness was sufficient, brought the prisoner in guilty, but when the jury were polled on the question, two of them stated that they had agreed to the verdict under a wrong impression, and they were sent back, and afterwards brought in a verdict of not guilty. A result which the Court fully approved.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The telegraphic despatch from Albany, published in your paper of to day, states that the Indemnity Insurance Co. has failed. It should have read "The New York Indemnity Insurance Co., of Albany," which was formerly located at Brooklyn, New York. It was a Montreal Company; afterwards its location was changed to Albany. It had but little other than stock notes for security, and never had much credit or standing as an Insurance Company. It should not be confounded with the Indemnity Fire Insurance Co., which is located in the City of New York, and has a cash capital of $150,000—well invested, and has a good stand as a reliable New York City Fire Insurance Company.

CHARLES H. VAN WAGENEN, Agents.
CHICAGO, Oct. 27, 1859.

MEDICAL DISPENSARY.—A meeting will be held in the Parlor of the First Congregational Church, corner of West Washington and Green streets, on Saturday, the 29th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., to take measures for establishing a "Free Medical Dispensary in the West Division" for the benefit of indigent women and children. All gentlemen and ladies interested in the object are invited to attend.

S. LIND, Rev. WM. W. PATTON,
Rev. H. R. GREEN, Dr. J. P. ROSE,
PHILO CARPENTER, And others.

ROWDYISM.—A party of rowdies made an attack upon the Concordia Saloon, kept by John Rab, on North Avenue, on Tuesday night, and battered in the doors and smashed in the windows. No arrests have yet been made.

SNOW STORM.—It snowed yesterday morning quite briskly for ten or fifteen minutes, a premonition that old winter is knocking at the door. He will be an unwelcome visitor to many a hearth and home. God preserve the poor.

LOCAL MATTERS.

CARD.—A fresh lot of those elegant Castor, Equimaux, Presidents, Moscow, Samson and St. Petersburg Over Coatings. Also Whitney Beavers, Devonshire Beavers, etc., have just been received direct from the Importers by express, and which, together with a most superb assortment of Pine Black Cloths, Doe Skins, stuffs for business suits, Vesting, &c., which we are making up to order in first rate style only, and for which orders are respectfully solicited. H. H. TAPPEN.

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MYSTERIOUS.—It seems very strange to us that any man in his right mind should appear shabby this cool weather, when by taking his old clothes to Cook & McLain, at 98 Dearborn street, he can have them made to look just as good as new.

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By order of the High Priest.
oc26 1tx IRA GODDARD, Secretary.

A BOOK-KEEPER who is engaged with keeping books for half the day wishes to be employed during his leisure time either in keeping books or doing collecting, etc. Is well acquainted in the city and can give the best of references. Address *Address*, BOOK-KEEPER, post office box 4966 oc26x2t

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1859.

THE DISEASE AND THE REMEDY.

The time appears to be approaching when the conservative men of the North, most of whom confess allegiance to the Republican party, will be obliged to put forth superhuman exertions for the preservation of the honor, dignity, peace and prosperity of our happy country. Between the recent efforts of the Democracy in repealing the Missouri Compromise, in their Kansas iniquities, in their Dred Scott decisions, in their filibustering and disregard of law, and the efforts of the men in the North who have been made fanatical by the war in which the nigger-drivers have cracked their whips over a people once free,—the worst consequences may be apprehended. When the public mind reposed in the belief that slavery would, sooner or later, by a gradual and peaceful process, become extinct, and when none of our public men had the presumption to claim that it was a national institution which might be carried, by virtue of the Constitution, into all territory over which the American flag floats, in spite of the resistance of Congress, the local legislatures and the people, we had comparitive peace. There were here and there squads of Abolitionists in the North whose endeavors to disturb the public harmony were zealously seconded by little squads of fire-eaters in the South; but between the two and all they could do, we had to hear nothing of dissolution of the Union, of insurrections of the servile population at the instigation of white men, nor of bad blood and prospective wars between the two extremes of the Republic. The country was prosperous and at peace. It was not until the Democratic party began to disregard the traditions and nullify the policy of the men who fought the war of the Revolution and made the Constitution in the interest and for the benefit of free labor and free men, that this war of sections began. But the attempt of that party to make Slavery national and Freedom local, by the means which we have mentioned—to brow-beat every man who would not follow their lead, and to villify every man who ventured to oppose their policy—opened the flood gates, and the bitter waters flowed at once into every nook and corner of the land. Under the influence of the prevailing excitement which Douglas and demagogues of like kidney have aroused, the men of the South who once would have been shocked by a hint of an internecine war, are now burning for the day in which it may begin; and the men of the North, many to the quick by the treachery and ingratitude of those whom they had trusted, and by the arrogance and presumption of the 350,000 slaveholders who have undertaken to give law to all the other inhabitants of the land, are familiarizing themselves to the idea of disunion; and out of the angry passions and heated blood of the contending factions, the event which will tear the Union asunder, may, by an unlucky conjunction, any day be generated. Hence we say that the conservative men of the Northern States, and, if there are any such there, of the South also, have need to exercise all their caution, wisdom and patriotism, to ward off the heavy blow which all clear-sighted men see is impending! We have pointed out the dangers and the remedy before; but our duty as public journalists and as patriotic citizens impels us to recur to the subject again and again.

What's to be done? The path of duty is plain: Throw out of public station and visit with political penalties these wanton disturbers of the public peace, whether of the North or South. The men and the party that have put the old ship on a new and dangerous tack must be overborne; and those whom they have goaded to madness by their crimes must suffer the disabilities which their diseases merits. The originators of that most mischievous Kansas-Nebraska bill, of the Kansas war upon Free State men, the Dred Scott decision, of the Congressional Slave code and of the proposed renewal of the inhuman and disgraceful Slave Trade—in a word, the leaders of that false and fallen Democracy—must go into the limbo into which Phillips, Garrison, Brown and their kindred madmen will be sent; and the country, by Republican effort, must be brought back to the point at which it stood when all parties had agreed to let this Slavery question alone—the Southern party not to aggress and the Northern party not to agitate. We see no other way out of the imbroglio. The Democracy are the authors of the mischief which has been wrought. They have set in motion the causes of strife and they are answerable for its consequences. As long as they remain in power, the scenes of the last six years will be repeated, and the pernicious principles which led to their enactment will be enunciated. We shall have fillibustering and disunion harangues in the South, and the fomenting of insurrections and the enforcement of retaliatory measures in the North. We are tired of the strife. We want peace. We have gone far enough in the stormy voyage on which the Democracy have started out. We want a return to the times in which the material interests of the country can be promoted—in which all the forms of national industry may be cared for. We want, in short, a triumph of the peaceful, conciliatory, old-fashioned policy to which the Republican party is devoted—a reassertion of the ideas which carried the country prosperously onward for more than sixty years. To attain this, the ideas by which this latter-day Democracy is animated, and which, in the half dozen years since they were inaugurated in the government, have made disunion fearfully imminent, must be repudiated and trodden under foot!

DOUGLAS' "IRREPRESSIBLE CONFLICT."

The difference between Mr. Seward's "irrepressible conflict" and that of Mr. Douglas is that the former only gave his opinion of a result likely to be worked out by certain existing facts, while the latter devised an expedient for putting it at once into sharp execution. As evidence of this, fact we quote the report of the commission appointed by the Kansas Legislature, composed equally of Free State and Pro-Slavery men, to investigate the amount of property destroyed in the various wars which grew out of the Kansas-Nebraska bill:

FRUITS OF DOUGLAS' "UNREPRESSIBLE CONFLICT."	
Number of claimants	681
Amount of claims	$978,000
Amount of awards	112 25
Value of crops destroyed	87,749
Houses destroyed	56
Horses at 150	56
Cattle, 8 cents	1,000
Property of Pro Slavery men	$27,139
Property of Free State men	$55,719
Destroyed by Pro-slavery men	$1,700
Destroyed by Free State men	$1,000

Over and above this large aggregate, the Commissioners express the belief that the entire loss during the wars amounted to $2,000,000. To which must be added, at the lowest calculation, 150 lives, 300 barbarous wounds, 400 law suits, and 300 to 500 negro slaves whose faculties were illuminated by the strife going on around them, and who took advantage of the confusion to strike a bee line for Canada. And as the last ripened fruit of the irrepressible conflict inaugurated by Douglas in 1854, we have the Harper's Ferry affair, which no sane man believes would ever have come to pass if the Missouri Compromise had not been repealed.

The footings of this table make up a heavy responsibility for Stephen A. Douglas. That we do not err in placing it at his door, we adduce these incontrovertible facts. Prior to the year 1854 the policy of the country in the government of the Territories looked to the exclusion of slavery therefrom by law. Though Mr. Douglas has seen fit to deny this in his late copyright essay, we have the evidence of his own. Spt to the fact, as late as March 22, 1858. (*Appendix to the Congressional Globe*; 1st Session, XXXVth Congress, p. 194.)

> "When I entered Congress I found upon the statute books the strictures of a policy to adjust the slavery question and save it sectional agitation by a geographical line, etc. *That policy had its origin at the beginning of this government and had prevailed up to that time.*"

We apprehend no one will hold that the reversal of this policy would have been consummated but for the prodigious efforts put forth by Douglas in 1854 to repeal the Missouri Compromise. Before the passage of the Nebraska bill the voice of the country, to the backward flow of population, spoke thus:

"You may remove to Kansas and Nebraska but you cannot take slaves thither. They are not property outside of State limits and the jurisdiction of local law. You may settle on the public domain with the distinct understanding that you do not curse posterity with slavery." When the Nebraska bill became a law the invitation of Congress to the same class of persons was changed so as to read as follows: "You pro-slavery men, go to Kansas and fasten your institution on the Territory if you can. You free-soilers, go to Kansas and keep slavery out if you are strong enough; and let the hardest fend off. Fight it out! Burn, stab, shoot, rob, ravage till one or the other is subdued or exterminated." Such was the plain language of the Nebraska business—aggravated fourfold by the taunts and threats of the pro-slavery party in Congress, of whom Douglas was chief. Then was the real "irrepressible conflict" inaugurated. The country, North and South, read the language and divined its meaning as clearly as though it were written on the sky, and both hastened to enlist in the invited strife. How faithfully they responded to Mr. Douglas' proposition let the official record of the Kansas Legislature tell.

"KANSAS WORK."

We think we can throw a little light upon the three-times repeated words, "Kansas work," in Gerrit Smith's letter to Osawatomie Brown, of June 4th, 1859—the letter, we mean, said to have been found at Brown's house after the affair of Harper's Ferry.

About the middle of March last, Brown passed through this city having in charge thirteen fugitive slaves from Missouri, *en route* for Canada. Our informant who gives us this fact, says also that Brown spoke of his obligations to Smith for aid in the enterprise in which he was then engaged, and seemed torcible upon him for any assistance which he might require in future endeavors of the same kind. Doubtless Smith's words refer to Capt. Brown's peaceful and bloodless attempts at universal emancipation. We take it that Mr. Smith would not desire to conceal the fact that he is at all times ready to assist in the escape of fugitives, nor that hundreds, perhaps, of hunted and flying men and women are indebted to him for means of deliverance. But that he was a party to Brown's foolish and criminal endeavor at Harper's Ferry, is too improbable for belief. We do not admire or defend his connection with the old man for the purpose first named; but we know him so well that we dare assert that he has never been willing to stain his hands with innocent blood. When his connection with Brown is cleared up and the published letter explained, it will, we doubt not, be found that we have hit the exact truth—that when he sends $200 to Brown "to keep him at his Kansas work;" when his "prayer to God is that you may have strength to continue your Kansas work," and when the liberality of another is lauded because it will "assist in the Kansas work," he conveyed assurances of his willingness to pay for and aid in the escape of fugitives by that mysterious thoroughfare, the stock of which is never quoted on 'Change—the Underground Railroad.

The Vote of Pennsylvania.

The official returns of the late election in Pennsylvania have been published from every County in the State, except Venango, which has not yet been received. Without Venango the vote stands as follows:

AUDITOR-GENERAL.

For Thomas E. Cochran, Opposition	178,613
For Richardson L. Wright, Democrat	162,767
Majority for Cochran	17,106

SURVEYOR-GENERAL.

For William H. Kemble, Opposition	180,295
For John Rowe, Democrat	162,126
Majority for Kelm	18,154

The returns from Venango will add a trifle to these majorities. The total vote of the State will be about twenty-three thousand less than in 1858, and about one hundred and fifteen thousand less than it was in the Presidential election of 1856.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

Judge Crane, recently elected to Congress from the proposed Territory of Nevada, died suddenly from apoplexy a few weeks since.

—Carl Ritter, the great geographer, died at Berlin, on the 28th Sept., aged eighty. He was acknowledged to be the first man of his time in the study to which he devoted his life. It was an intimate friend of the late Baron Humboldt.

—A bill is under consideration in the Legislature of Tennessee, providing that all free persons of color, over eighteen and under fifty years of age, shall either leave the State or go into slavery.

—The Memphis *Appeal* is "satisfied that the great mass of the North will never enter into such a contest" as many panic-stricken journalists are predicting, under the inspiration of the Brown foray. This is a perfectly safe conclusion.

—The *Protestant Churchman* gives the first announcement of the names of the Bishops who voted aye on the motion of Bishop McCoskry to restore Bishop Onderdonk without any conditions. The ayes (report says) were Bishops Otey, Kemper, McCoskry, DeLancey, Chase, Wittingham, and Odenheimer.

—The following letter destroys the last shred of the web of calumny constructed by the Democratic organs out of the falsehood that Gerrit Smith is and has been a Republican.

> To the Ed'r of the N. Y. Tribune:
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> SIR: In two instances, in denying the assertion of the *Express* that Gerrit Smith was a Republican member of Congress, you have expressed your opinion that I would not be supported. This is a mistake. Mr. Smith did not vote for Fremont. From the very organization of the Republican party, he has steadily and consistently opposed it and its candidates. Personally, he was friendly to Fremont, but he felt that he could not, would not sacrifice principle to vote for him, and he *did not*, as I have heard him repeatedly declare. Respectfully,
>
> Oct. 24, 1859. H. H. GARDINER.
>
> 109 Wall-st., New York.

—The Whigs of Lexington, Missouri, have recently nominated Judge Bates as a Presidential candidate. The Missouri *Democrat* thinks the Opposition Convention of the State will endorse his nomination. But it adds:

> "Yet we feel assured that his candidacy would be altogether contingent on the union of the Opposition. He would instantly retire from the position in which the Whigs and Freesoilers of Missouri will probably place him, unless their action should receive the sanction of the Republican party. His name will not be lent to those, if such there be, who contemplate keeping a third party in the field, or who refuse to admit that the expulsion of the National Democracy from power is the paramount duty of a good citizen in the present critical situation of affairs. He may consent to lead a united host, but never a disaffected division."

—In an article on the Harper's Ferry tragedy, the Philadelphia *North-American and U. S. Gazette*, makes the following truthful comment on the attempt of Democratic journals to make party capital out of it:

> The attempt to make political capital out of such an event is likely to recoil upon those who make it. The men who have embarked so eagerly in that disgraceful work, *drawn equal reprobation with the crim nal conf derates of Brown.* So far as we have seen, *the whole Republican press, with one accord, has denounced the act with as much emphasis as the press of any other party at the North or South.* It is a matter which admits of no division of opinion among right-thinking men, and those who have attempted, with super-serviceable zeal, to get the start by raising a partisan cry, are utterly unworthy of confidence or respect.

—In his recent lecture in Philadelphia, Mr. Giddings retracted a sentiment, the utterance of which lost him many friends at the North. Says *Forney's Press*:

> In concluding his lecture, in doing which he was frequently interrupted by the audience with cries of "Go on," Mr. Giddings said that during his Congressional career he had at times uttered language which afterwards caused him deeply regret. He had said at one time that, when the South was ravaged with the horrors of insurrection, he would laugh at the calamity, and mock when their fear cometh; but he felt free to say that such words were not the feelings of his heart. *He felt the sentiment was false.* As an *abstract principle that might exist to favor blood on rebellion on the part of any class of men.* (Applause.)

Mr. Giddings also, according to the same authority, spoke in the following terms of Gov. Wise, of Virginia:

> In alluding to Mr. Wise, Mr. Giddings spoke in very feeling terms of him, and of the friendly relations that existed between them. There were times when Mr. Wise had treated him with severity, and they had always been the most unfortunate opponents. So, as Col. Forney in his paper of yesterday had passed a eulogy on Mr. Wise, he would merely add a confirmation of those words, and say that Mr. Wise, with a courage worthy of the man, had stood by him in the hour of his need, and had actually defied the rules of the House, by refusing to vote when that House sought to punish Mr. Giddings by an unconstitutional act. (Applause.)

A Question not Answered but Dodged.

Editors Press and Tribune:

The *Times* honors my interrogatories with a reply, which it divides into several heads. First, it states Mr. Douglas' position, placing it in this mild light:

> "On the contrary, he (Douglas) says the Union must assert the right of each State to decide for itself, as far as the people of the several States shall, for themselves determine. As they may be, in spite of the Federal States are allowed to regulate the subject of slavery for themselves, then the Union is safe and secure."

Notwithstanding the furious clamor the *Times* is making against the author of the expression, "irrepressible conflict," there is very little difference on this point between the position of Douglas, as defined by the *Times*, and Seward's as defined by himself. In his famous Rochester speech Mr. S. explicitly said:

> "While I do confidently believe and hope that my country will yet become a land of universal Freedom, I do not expect that it will be made so otherwise than through the action of the several States, each acting within its own jurisdiction, and in due time, in full conformity with their respective Constitutions."

From this it will be seen that Seward refers the solution of the problem of Slavery in the States to *the people of the States themselves*. He differs with Douglas in "believing and hoping that some day the United States will become a land of universal Freedom." Douglas, on the other hand, says that he "don't care whether Slavery is voted up or voted down;" he is perfectly indifferent if all the States and Territories should become cursed with human bondage, provided that a majority of the whites desire it. His doctrine is, that white minorities have no rights which white majorities are bound to regard; and that colored men have no rights which white men are bound to heed. In these respects Seward and Douglas differ; but the Slaves would be Democrats, and have been Democratic because they were thus formed.

But the day of these operations is rapidly passing away. The atrocious and violent Pro-Slavery doctrines proclaimed from the White House and the Supreme Court Room, and bloodily illustrated on the plains of Kansas have produced a reaction. The Northwestern States, with one accord, have arrayed themselves on the side of Freedom; and Administrative power proves impotent to retain its hold upon the Territories. Kansas adopts a Republican Constitution. The first use Minnesota makes of her State sovereignty is to roll up a Republican majority. Oregon is Republican, though illegal appliances defeated her verdict at the last election; and now Nebraska, which they have counted upon as certainly as upon South Carolina, joins the Republican column!

With this change of circumstances we may look for a change of Democratic policy. They will be as anxious now to keep new Territories out, as they have been to get them in. They are already preparing to interpose further obstacles to the admission of Kansas, and will doubtless seek, by similar devices, to banish Nebraska. But it will be unavailing. Those Territories will take their places as Republican States, side by side with all the other States of the Northwest. They therefore will pronounce the most emphatic and effective condemnation of that policy which sought to couple their organization with the base idea of a honored barrier against Slavery, wisely thrown around them thirty years ago.—*Albany Jour.*

Pierce and the Charleston Nomination.

A Concord, (New Hampshire) correspondent of the Boston *Traveler* furnishes the following:

> "In this State, among the wire-pullers, scarcely a doubt is entertained of ex-President Pierce's ultimate success as Charleston. He will have the country in about four weeks, having completed all his plans for future operations. His leading friends have been busy ever since Mr. Buchanan's nomination at Cincinnati, fully resolved on Pierce's re-nomination. Their apparent friendship for Douglas was only an excuse for turning the cold shoulder to the Administration, and his confidential friends will ultimately receive their most damaging blows from the friends of the ex-President, while the latter, and his confidential friends, will swear that he is not a candidate for the office in question. This is an important item in his plans, and the game was so successful in 1852 that too much confidence is given to it now. He is to have no votes until Douglas, Wise, Hunter, Guthrie, Breckenridge, and all other leading candidates shall have been used up, and then a sudden rally is to be made for the ex-President, with a united South leading off in his support, to be backed instantly by all his friends from the Free States, who have been secretly secured as delegates. Mr. Forney will be active for Pierce, as will Gen. C. H. Peaslee, Jefferson Davis of Mississippi, Caleb Cushing, Sidney Webster, and Col. George of Concord. Gen. Pierce will pass the winter at Bermuda rather than at Madeira, as he can better communicate how much he would take for him. His master replied, "Gabriel, no money would buy you." "But," said Gabriel, his nomination, he will return to this country in May next, landing at Charleston."

An Outrageous Conspiracy—Attempt to Enslave a Family of Free Negroes.

(From the Louisville Democrat, Oct. 18.)

Last evening Lieut. Kirby and officers Thier and Priest succeeded in ferreting out a very outrageous conspiracy that had been concocted against the freedom of a family of free negroes. They arrested and lodged in jail the prime movers in the shameless affair.

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CAPT. JOHN E. COOK.

James Redpath furnishes the Boston *Atlas and Bee* the following recollections of Captain John E. Cook, just arrested at Chambersburg, Pa., for his complicity with Brown in the Harper's Ferry affair:

> "There is a Free State boy in town, who has been a spy among the Kickapoo Rangers."
>
> "Yes; by G—, and he's a spy among us, too."

These remarks I heard uttered as I entered the Cincinnati House, in the town of Lawrence, one day, shortly after—before—the destruction of the Free State Hotel, *as a nuisance*, by order of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Kansas.

It was the topic of the day. Parties were formed on the issue of—"Is Cook a friend or a pro-slavery spy?"

I went to see him.

MY FIRST INTRODUCTION TO COOK.

He knew me by reputation, and I entered into conversation with him.

He was dressed in the rough fashion of the period, but his arms, accoutrements and linen—and after one talked with him,—his style of conversation, indicated that he was a young man of wealthy family.

A fair, slim youth of two and twenty, his boasting and incessant talking did not strike me favorably. He had a slight impediment in his speech, and the rapidity with which he talked did not improve it. He told me that he had come from Chicago, where, at the time, he had relatives living; had gone to Lawrenceburgh, and joined (for the purpose of betraying them) the Kickapoo Rangers—the most desperate gang of ruffians and murderers that Missouri ever spewed out over Kansas. He told their plans and—*then returned!*

COOK DISAPPEARS.

What he predicted was fulfilled; his veracity was undoubted. But where was *he?*

We had given him up as lost to us, when he suddenly re-appeared. Lawrence had been sacked, if I mistake not, since his previous visit.

COOK'S RE-APPEARANCE.

His appearance created a renewed agitation. He was before the Hobbs, the celebrated militia company of Lawrence, told further plans of the Rangers, and, above all, a story of his escape, which removed the doubts about him.

The story of Cook's escape, as he told it, was subsequently found to be true.

HIS STORY.

He had been suspected by the Border Ruffian Company, and when he asked permission to visit Kansas City (with the secret intention of going to Lawrence,) a man was sent after him to watch him.

Cook stopped at Kansas City, and went up to Lawrence. The spy, finding that he had gone, returned to Kickapoo and reported the treason.

When Cook went back to Kickapoo, a company meeting was held. A ruffian planted himself before the door of the room, and the spy proceeded to tell his story.

But Cook had already dimly feared and formidably prepared himself for such a result. It was a terrible situation to be in—a hopeless prisoner, to all human appearances, among a gang of thirty of the most villainous cutthroats that God ever permitted to pollute the earth.

Cook sprang up, with his revolver cocked, and a bowie knife in the other hand.

In an instant he was at the door; with the muzzle of his pistol within a yard of the Doorkeeper's mouth.

John E. Cook, unlike his Captain, is *not* a religious man; and I am very much afraid that he uttered profane words as he ordered the door-keeper to move aside.

Whether he did or not, however, the doorkeeper moved. At all events, he made many words to induce even a brave man to get out of the range of a pistol held in the hands of a desperate prisoner. In a few seconds he had disappeared among the brush; and the darkness favoring him—he soon made his way to Lawrence.

This story, told by a young man, unknown to every one, and one, who, by his own admission, had no anti-slavery antecedents—who, if a spy among the Rangers, had gone into that very dangerous business voluntarily, and before he was acquainted with any of the leading Free State men—added to the fact that he was exceedingly egotistical and full of anecdotes of his own heroic deeds, very naturally excited the suspicions of a party among the Stubbs—who boldly proposed to hang him.

CHARLEY LENHART REFRIENDS HIM.

But he suddenly found a friend in the most fearless boy I have ever met—the founder of the Free State guerrillas—and, to this day, (I doubt,) Old Brown was in the field a few days before him; I refer to my lion-hearted friend, Charley Lenhart.

"By G—d" said Charley, "you'll lynch me first!"

These words opened Charley's career in Kansas—a career which was fatal to the hopes of many Southern hirelings; unless, indeed, (which I believe,) man's hopes do not end in the grave!

"I believe he is our friend," said Charley,—"but if he isn't I'll find out. If he will fight for us, I'll see that he has the chance."

He then proposed that five or three of the Stubbs should leave Lawrence on a guerilla tour, and take Cook with them to test his courage. If young Cook had been a coward, I have no doubt he would never have had the chance to go to Harper's Ferry.

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Charley was encamped at Blue Mound—a wooded eminence south of Wakarusa, and ten miles from Lawrence. Near the summit of Blue Mound, in the thickest part of the wood, I found the young guerrilla boys lying at their ease. Their horses were tethered at different places in the vicinity of the camp. The only covering they had was an old canvas, (which they had taken from the ruffians,) and which, tied to trees, afforded a protection against rain. Each man had a blanket, rifle, pistol and bowie knife. The side arms were stuck in their belts.

Cook was there. He had been tried and found true. Since the days of Homer—there have ever been exceptions to the rule that barking dogs never bite—he was a most accurate fighting dog; but he barked like a King Charles poodle. He was always boasting.

COOK QUIET FOR A WHILE.

When peace was restored, and the speculation mania began, he entered into a partnership with a person named Bacco, and made a good deal of money by land claim and town speculations. His real estate office was a real curiosity shop. Enter when you pleased, you would usually find him burnishing his armor—for which he had always a fine variety—for the chief furniture of his office consisted of weapons, which were conspicuously displayed on the walls and in the corners. For himself, he was a walking arsenal, even in the days of mutual good feeling.

Cook—to give his character in a few words—is a brave fellow, good hearted, intelligent, reckless, egotistical and querulous.

COOK'S RECENT HISTORY.

I learned, after loaing trace of him for many months, that he had gone to Harper's Ferry. He must have been there for upwards of two years past.

The last news I had of him was from my wife. She was traveling through Indiana on her way to Canada. She met him. A young man, with pistols in his belt and a bowie knife concealed but easily displayed, was declaiming about the Kansas wars to every one around him.

Finally, having exhausted his late listeners, he came into the vicinity of my wife, who asked him about various friends in the Territory. He did not know her—she asked about me.

He was unable to give any definite estimate of my character, but he made an emphatic and important proviso: I was, in his opinion, the rashest and most reckless man he knew.

The Famous Negro Plot of Sixty Years Ago.

[From the Philadelphia Press.]

The article in Thursday's *Press*, relative to the Southampton Tragedy of 1831, awakens recollections of similar events, of a like character. The following episode, connected with one which occurred at an earlier period, may not be without interest at this time:

About sixty years ago, it was discovered that in the neighborhood of Richmond, Virginia, a plot had been devised by the colored people to spread slaughter and devastation among the whites. Three negroes had been seen by their master riding out of his stable yard. To a man sufficient to create alarm. On their return, the then absconding blacks were tried by the court of three planters. Though no direct evidence was adduced, yet enough was elicited to induce the belief that there had been an extensive combination formed for dreadful purposes. The Governor of Virginia offered the sum of $10,000, and the gentlemen of the city of Richmond $10,000 more, as a reward to any one who would give information of the head of this project, but no one was inspired with the secret.

A few days after the $20,000 reward was offered, a little African boy came into a grocery store in Richmond, and asked for a quart of rum. The grocer asked him for whom he wanted it. He said, for his uncle Gabriel.

That African, when twenty-one years of age, had asked no other boon but much he would take for him. His master replied, "Gabriel, no money would buy you." "But," said Gabriel, his nomination, he will return to this country in May next, landing at Charleston."

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The following letter was written in reply to a note from many of the most respectable citizens of Buffalo:

> GENTLEMEN:—I will, with great pleasure, comply with the request therein expressed; and in doing so shall endeavor to establish, amongst others, the following propositions:
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> First, That steamers may be constructed that can be made to run more than one hundred miles the hour.
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> Second, That they will be so strong and steady that the greatest ocean forces will not endanger their safety, nor much disturb their equilibrium. Sea sickness will be impossible.
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> Third, That the economy of their movements will be such as to reduce the cost of travel and transportation thereby, to less than one-fifth of their present ordinary rates.
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> Fourth, That when light, they need not draw more than fourteen feet; and when loaded with a very large amount of freight and passengers, and with fuel enough for a voyage around the world, they need not draw more than about 22 feet.
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> Fifth, That as a war ship, one of these would be an overmatch for all existing navies.
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> I also intend to exhibit and explain a working model of a paddle wheel, of very simple construction, for steamers, that is thought by engineers and machinists to afford a perfect solution of the difficulties that attend the operation of all existing wheels for steamers, both paddle and propeller.
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> I shall also explain a method, inexpensive in ships of this construction, but perfectly effective, of condensing their steam by surface condensation, by the aid of which fresh water may be fed to marine boilers, and all the advantages of both the condensing and locomotive engines combined be obtained.
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> These facts of the wheel and condenser are not indispensable to the results first mentioned—but strongly auxiliary.
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> As questions of local interest particularly, I shall show that a moderate expense, steamers may be built for our lakes that can easily attain a velocity of not less than fifty miles the hour, that will be safe and steady, economical in their movements, as compared with our existing steamers, and that can, at a draught of about eight feet, carry three thousand tons of freight and three thousand passengers.
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> I shall also show that a full load of freight can be placed on board, or unloaded, and without injury, and at all expense, in less than one hour; and that vessels of this construction may be made simple contrivance for winter use, be made to run all winter, and not be seriously incommoded, nor impeded, nor at all endangered by ice.
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> As the proofs which sustain these facts are simple, and, I believe, have never failed to carry conviction, the *velocity* of which we have fully examined them, I doubt not but I shall be able to make them understood by those who may deem them worthy of their attentive consideration.
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> As the expenses to which you allude will necessarily be considerable, I have concluded to follow your suggestion, and charge a small admission fee.
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> These expositions will be given at St. James' Hall on the evening of the 28th, 29th, and 31st, inst., commencing at 7½ o'clock.
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> I am, gentlemen, very truly yours,
>
> ROLLIN GERMAIN.

Singular Attempt at Robbery in St. Louis.

For three or four days past it has been known in certain quarters that an attempt has been made to enter the State Saving Institution, corner of Vine and Main streets, by an entrance through the Vine street sewer, and an effort to tunnel through the rock that forms the foundation of the building. The matter has not been published, and has been kept comparatively quiet for the sake of the capture of the party now engaged in it. As the burglarious attempt seems to have been abandoned, we see no reason why the public should not be apprized of the circumstances.

On Friday night last the private watchman of the Bank heard an unusual noise, apparently coming from the rear part of the building adjoining. The noise was that of some one pecking against rock with a hammer or drill. It was first noticed about nine o'clock and ceased at eleven. The next morning inquiry was made if there had been any one at work in the cellar of the building adjacent to the Bank, and when it was known that there had not been, it was concluded immediately that the picking referred to proceeded from beneath the vault; and in all probability was occasioned by burglars who designed breaking into the safe of the Bank, but had made a wrong calculation and set to work too far to the south. Inquiry was then informed of what had taken place, and at night a large force was detailed at the outlets of different sewers for several squares up and down from Vine street, in order, if possible, to secure the rascals (in the event of their returning) when they should quit work. The same night the noises were again heard, apparently more distinctly than before, but the officers stationed at the mouths of the sewers discovered nothing. Since then the singular undertaking seems to have been abandoned, the burglars having perhaps got wind of the fact that their operations were not unknown; but the affair is wrapped in the dark as at first.—*St. Louis Republican*, 26th.

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A Visit to a Catholic School at Ireland's Expense—Superior Condition of the School and Strictures Fundamentalism—Strong Catholicism—Scholarship and Training—Sectarian Opinion—Opposition to the National School System—Its Future.

LIMERICK, IRELAND, Sept. 24, 1859.

Having seen the lions of Limerick, I thought I would look up one of its Catholic institutions, and hence inquired the way to a Monk's school. In a city where the relation of Catholic to Protestant is as fifteen to one, it is easy to find Catholic schools; and so to Sexton street I went, and halted before a plain, two-story building, with a large gravelled yard around, where could be heard the voices of hundreds of boys at play. It was just recess time, and a large part of the school were at their sports. Two or three of the Monks or Brothers were in the yard, dressed in sipacca coats that came to their heels, and having on the funny four-cornered hats worn by many orders in the Catholic Church, from priest to monk. I inquired of one of those young men if I could see the school. He seemed to look at me ungraciously and answer but distrustfully, and replied that the Superior was not then in the building. Perhaps you can show me the school then, I rejoined. He turned me over to another brother, who was much more gracious in his manner, and who, although with a pair of lustreless eyes, had a smiling, pleasant face. He took me up to his room, which was large and airy, with Catholic emblems—both pictures and statuary around the walls, and excellent drawings from nature and art besides. The latter were all wrought by the pupils themselves, who were evidently taught with great thoroughness in this branch. The Brother told me, subsequently, that drawing was a passion with all the boys, and that permission to draw was all that was required to stimulate them to study during the progress of the ordinary school exercises.

When I went in it was recess time, and some of the boys had gone to the yard, and some remained in the room, and there they played and romped to their heart's content, running, scuffling, leaping over benches, and shouting. It was with difficulty that I could hear what the Master said to me. He seemed to be a little ashamed of the disorder, and occasionally sprung a simple watchman's rattle to enforce stillness, but it was only gained for a minute. I never saw worse order in any backwoods school of America. Yet here were five hundred and fifty scholars in the building, distributed in rooms containing about eighty-five each, and the aggregate of noise, you may imagine, was not inconsiderable. During the recitations which followed the recess, the disorder was frightful; the master gave his entire attention to the work of instruction, while all over the school-room the boys were talking, whispering, playing, climbing over benches, tossing caps to the ceiling, and such like tricks, known alight to all our readers, but scarcely ever seen combined at one time in a new set of additions and practices except such things to have once been; but go to Ireland, and you shall find them in a wilderness. Occasionally the Brother would come to a consciousness that all was not right, and then the rattle would snap, a lull of a moment would ensue, and then, away, noise, fun and wild disorder all again.

I went through the other rooms and found the same scenes, but not such a romp as about. Order seems to be the first rule in the Irish. In one room the master was giving a little lecture on geography, and the boys there were very attentive, though with a look of wild attention, climbing up on one another's backs when a picture was shown, but yet not giving way to conscious levity. This room contained as fine specimens of forehead as I have ever seen. Though thoroughly Irish, they had clear complexions, sparkling eyes and great animation of countenance. In the boys at home as with us are remarkable for brilliant, early development; but they do not hold it; they flash for a few years and then their light is gone; the promise of childhood is not fulfilled.

From this room I passed to others, and saw the six departments and the five hundred and fifty pupils. Of course there is not a Protestant in the school; and the Catholicism is of the strongest kind. Those who are not the most devoted and determined Catholics send to the National Schools, where religion is kept in the back ground, and where no religious instruction is given during many of the hours of the daily session. I have already referred to the hostile eyes of the monk, and though many of them seemed men of some determination and force, yet I saw no lovely different from the Yankee schoolmasters, quick, bright and enthusiastic.

So far as the scholarship of the boys was concerned there was nothing striking except the patient care with which they had been taught. There was no attempt to display the school, things were done in common course, and it is fair to say that with much blundering, there was capacity of thought and a determination on the part of the teacher to awaken it. The scholars were as a whole, nearly as well instructed as those of corresponding age in any but our very best schools.

The method of teaching in this institution, as in many of the schools in this country, is the monitorial. A lesson is assigned, and after a certain time it is heard, some of the best boys have it, perhaps ten out of a class of eighty. These ten on signifying that they are prepared are called to the master's recite. During their recital the less forward boys continue their studies. At its close, these ten hear all who are then ready, taking little classes of two or three each, and if those who pass their examination at once go to the master, who examines them singly and then details them to monitorial duty. Thus the master, in turn, hears each boy recite the whole lesson, the monitors have it thoroughly stamped into their memories by hearing others, say yet they are so guarded by the plan that they cannot let off their fellow playmates cheaply; each boy recites the lesson twice, excepting the first monitors, who only recite to the master, and thus when it is learned it can hardly be forgotten. This is an admirable plan, and could be used effectively, I think, in many American schools.

I found that a feeling of opposition to the National school system was very strong in the minds of the brothers, and that they were very anxious that Government should make separate grants, of money to the various churches in proportion to their numbers and let the religion of each be taught in the different schools. A very interesting chapter in the history of Ireland is now being written, but it would take more space than I can allow in the balance of this letter to state it properly. Let me only say that that grand scheme of improving Ireland by establishing mixed schools, neutral in their character, which has now entered into the happiest results, is in the greatest peril. The National School system is now assailed on two sides—that of the Church of England and that of the Church of Rome. The former has always been bitterly opposed to it—the latter its warmest friend. But the majority of Rome is changing its attitude to it and becoming as hostile as before it has been friendly—and now is the Protestants and Dissenters alone who give it an unqualified support. But the full statement of these things would require a long letter of itself, and for this I must pass it by. Let me only say, in closing, that this is now the thought and the talk of Ireland; the Church of England is struggling to gain its ends for the form of sectional schools established by grant of public money: the Roman Catholic bishops have just taken a great step in the same direction, and will shortly demand the same thing; and all depends upon this, in the future development of education in Ireland, whether Parliament will yield and let the present system of mixed education, now over brought to this market, embracing every variety and style, all of which are adapted to the wants of the

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Notice is hereby given that the following warrants are in my hands for collection:
Warrant No. 511, South—For grading and paving Halsted street, from Lake street to Madison street.
Warrant No. 512, South—For grading, curbing and gravelling Madison avenue, from the south line of Lake street to the north line of Randolph street.
Warrant No. 513, South—For curbing and gravelling Twelfth street, from the east line of State street to the east curb of Michigan avenue.
Warrant No. 514, South—For extending Indiana avenue from North st., on in a straight northerly dir...ct...n, to the north line of the canal reserve, adjoining said s...ction of Liberty street, as ordered by the Common Council, March 28th, 1859.
Warrant No. 515, South—For constructing sixty-five Culverts.
Warrant No. 516, West—For grading the south half of North avenue from the north branch of Chicago river to Halsted avenue.
Warrant No. 517, West—For grading Harrison street from the South Western plank road west to the city limits.
Warrant No. 518, West—For grading and macadamizing Chicago avenue, from Chicago avenue bridge to the western limits of the city of Chicago.
Warrant No. 519, West—For grading Roby street from Madison to Jackson street.
Warrant No. 520, West—For opening an alley fourteen [14] feet wide, running north and south through block seven [7] Dunbar's addition to Chicago.
Warrant No. 521, North—For grubbing Wells street, from the north line of Chicago avenue to the north line of Kinzie street.
All the above warrants are requested forthwith to make payment of said Warrants at my office, or the same will be collected at the low rate allowed by law, without further notice. Judge to the payment of said assessments.
se24-a&d-3m F. C. MUELLER, City Collector.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

The Trial of the Harper Ferry "Insurrectionists."

CHARLESTON, Va., Oct. 27.—The storm of last evening prevented the transmission of the later proceedings of the Court in the case of the Harper's Ferry prisoners.

The Court finally refused to postpone the trial, and the whole afternoon was occupied in obtaining a jury. Brown, occupied a seat on which he was carried into the Court room. The trial will be resumed this morning, when counsel for Brown is expected from Ohio.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Brown came into Court this morning, being able to walk, but he immediately laid himself down on his cot, at full length, within the bar. He looks considerably better, the swelling having left his eyes.

Senator Mason is among the spectators. Messrs. Harding and Hunter represent the Commonwealth, and Botts and Green the prisoner.

Mr. Botts read the following dispatch, which was received this morning:

AKRON, Ohio, Oct. 26th, 1859.

To C. J. Faulkner and Lawson Botts, Charleston, Va.:

Mr. Brown, leader of the insurrection at Harper's Ferry, and several of his family, have resided in this county for many years. Insanity is hereditary in that family. His mother's sister died with it, and a daughter of that sister has been two years in the Lunatic Asylum. A son and daughter of his mother's brother have also been confined in the Lunatic Asylum, and another son of this brother is now insane and under close restraint. These facts can be conclusively proven by witnesses residing here, who will doubtless attend the trial, if desired.

The telegraph operator at the Akron office, Wm. C. Allen, adds to the above dispatch, that A. H. Lewis is a resident of that place, and his statements are entitled to implicit confidence.

Mr. Botts said that on receiving the above dispatch he went to the jail with his associate, Mr. Green, and read it to Brown, and was desired by the latter to say that in his father's family there has never been any insanity at all. On his mother's side there has been reported instances of it. He adds that his first wife showed symptoms of it, which was also evident in his first and second sons by that wife.

Some portions of the statements in the despatch he knows to be correct; of other portions he is ignorant. He does not know whether his mother's sister died in the Lunatic Asylum, but he does believe a daughter of that sister has been two years in an Asylum, and thinks a son and daughter of his mother's brother have been confined in the Asylum, but he was not aware of the fact that another son of that brother is now insane and in close confinement.

Brown also desires it to be known to say that he does not put in any plea of insanity, and if he has ever been at all insane he was totally unconscious of it; yet, he adds, that those who are most insane generally suppose that they have more reason and sanity than those around them. For himself, he claims to put in no such plea, and seeks no immunity of that kind. This movement is made totally without his approbation or concurrence, and was unknown to him until the receipt of the above despatch. Brown here raised himself up in bed and said:

"I will add, if the court will allow me, that I look upon it as a miserable artifice. To this pretext of those who ought to take a different course in regard to me, if they took any at all, and I rise with indignation more than I can express. As I remarked to Mr. Green, insane persons, so far as my experience goes, have but very little ability to judge of their own sanity, and if I am insane, of course I should think I knew more than all the rest of the world, but I do not think so. I am perfectly unconscious of insanity, and I reject the plea as far as I am capable, any attempt to interfere in my behalf on that score."

Mr. Botts stated that he was farther instructed by Brown that, rejecting this plea entirely, and seeking no delay for that reason, he does not wish to put in a plea of guilty yesterday—that time be given for the arrival of foreign counsel, which he has now reason to expect.

Yesterday evening a dispatch was received from Cleveland, Ohio, signed Daniel Tilden, dated 25th inst., asking of Brown whether it would be of any use for counsel to leave last night. To this dispatch an answer was returned that the jury would be sworn this morning, and Brown desired the counsel to come at once.

The telegraph operator states that this despatch would be sent off at once, in advance of the dispatches sent by the reporters, and he had learned this morning that it was sent before the storm that last night interrupted communication, so that the counsel might reach here by 12 or 1 o'clock to-night.

The statement by Brown this morning makes it evident that he sought no postponement for the purpose of delay, as he regrets the loss of lawsuits; but in his opinion he can have a fairer trial if the defense were conducted by his own counsel, than if he were defended by the counsel appointed.

Mr. Hunter observed that the prisoners' counsel having renewed the motion of yesterday for a delay for a specific period, Brown had stated upon information received in the form of a telegraphic dispatch, the question now was whether there was sufficient grounds in this additional information to change the decision announced by the Court yesterday on the same motion. If the Court did not at once deem this circumstance wholly insufficient to change the decision made, the counsel for the commonwealth deemed it their duty to call attention to two or three matters connected with the case, which they desirous to avoid forestalling the trial of this case in regard to the present prisoner at the bar. They were prepared to prove that he had made open, repeated and undisguised admissions of everything charged against him. He had gloried in it, and we have but an exhibition of the same spirit and feeling now. From the time it commenced, that he would permit no defence of insanity to be put in. The point was fully discussed in the presence of both sides. Court stated that he must see in this case as in any other, that proper cause for delay was made out before granting such application. In the present case he could not see that a telegram gave any assurance that the additional counsel intended to come. The prisoner is now defended by counsel now at the bar, and as that no improper evidence is adduced against him, and that all proper evidence in his behalf shall be presented. The court could not see that a proper cause for delay was made out. The expected counsel might arrive before the case was closed, and could then act on his behalf; and when the case the prisoner might have the benefit of their advice, although the case now proceeds. As to the matter of insanity, it was not presented in a reliable form. Instead of mere statements we should have affidavits of something of that character. He thought therefore that the jury should be sworn. Mr. Green said that the counsel for Brown would be entitled to put in their plea, and seeks no immunity of that kind. This movement is made totally without his approbation or concurrence, and was unknown to him until the receipt of the above despatch. Brown here raised himself up in bed and said:

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